UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	DOCKET NO. 1:15CR85
Plaintiff,	
	MOTION FOR CONTIUANCE
v.	
BRANDI SMITH)))
Defendant,	

Defendant BRANDI SMITH, by and through her counsel, Ronald E. Justice, Jr., hereby moves this Honorable Court for a continuance of trial and in support shows this Court the following:

- 1. The Defendant is scheduled for the trial term commencing June 20, 2016.
- 2. Counsel for the Defendant respectfully moves to continue this case from the June 20, 2016 court term
- 3. The Defendant has filed a request for new Counsel which has yet to be heard.
- 4. The Defendant subsequently signed a plea agreement which has not been filed. Upon information and belief the Defendant will withdraw her motion for new counsel and will enter a plea eliminating a need for trial.
- 5. Counsel for the United States was contacted prior to the filing of this motion and does not object to the granting of this motion.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant prays the court:

- 1. That this case be continued from the June 20, 2016 trial term.
- 2. For such other relief as this court deems mete and just.

By <u>s/Ronald E. Justice, Jr..</u>
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Ronald E. Justice, Jr., herby certify that a copy of the foregoing Motion for Continuance was this day served via electronic notification to the United States District Court as follows:

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This 3rd day of June, 2016.

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